

IN THE CLAIMS

1. (currently amended) A method ~~for detecting the bus width of and then using a peripheral device connected to an electronic device, wherein at least one bus width from a determined set of bus widths is available in the peripheral device,~~
comprising:

detecting ~~the~~ in an electronic device a bus width or widths available for use in an operating mode of the peripheral device connected to the electronic device by detecting one or more indirect indicators formed in the peripheral device, which one or more indirect indicators is itself or are themselves only indirectly indicative of which one or ones of said ~~set of bus~~ width or widths ~~are~~ available for use in the peripheral device in said operating mode, said electronic device then

selecting a bus width for using said peripheral device in said operating mode according to the ~~detected~~ selected bus width ~~or widths~~.

2. (currently amended) The method according to claim 1, wherein reference data is stored in the electronic device about at least one bus width available in the peripheral device and corresponding to one or more values of said one or more indirect ~~indicator value~~ indicators.

3. (currently amended) The method according to claim 2, wherein said one or more indirect ~~indicator used is~~ indicators is or are indicative of information stored in the peripheral device and indicating indirectly, ~~which one or ones of said set of bus~~ width or widths ~~are~~ available in the peripheral device.

4. (currently amended) The method according to claim 3, wherein said indirect indicator or indicators ~~data stored in the peripheral device is~~ or are indicative of information about ~~the maximum~~ a clock frequency available in the peripheral device.

5. (currently amended) The method according to claim 3, wherein ~~at least a fast peripheral device and a slow peripheral device are defined, wherein~~ said information ~~stored in the peripheral device is~~ information about whether the peripheral device is fast or slow.

6. (currently amended) The method according to claim 3, wherein said indicator or indicators ~~one or more indirect indicators formed in the peripheral device is~~ or are ~~information about~~ indicative of a version of the peripheral device.

7. (currently amended) The method according to claim 2, comprising performing at least the following:

transmitting a request from the electronic device to the peripheral device to transmit in return said one or more values ~~a value~~ of said indirect indicator or indicators to the electronic device,

transmitting said ~~indirect indicator value~~ or values of said indirect indicator or indicators from the peripheral device to the electronic device,

comparing said ~~indirect indicator value~~ one or more values with at least one reference value from said reference data stored in the electronic device for determining the bus width or widths available for use in the peripheral device,

selecting one bus width available in the peripheral device according to said identification, and

setting the selected bus width for the peripheral device.

8. (currently amended) The method according to claim 1, wherein at least one connection line is formed between the electronic device and the peripheral device, and using said at least one said connection line as said indicator.

9. (currently amended) The method according to claim 8, comprising performing at least the following:

an initialization in said peripheral device, in which ~~the value~~ a value of said at least one connection line is set to correspond indirectly to the ~~bus~~ bus width or widths available in the peripheral device,

a detection, in which the electronic device examines ~~the state~~ a state of said at least one connection line and compares the state of said connection line with at least one reference value from said reference data stored in the electronic device,

a selection for selecting one bus width available in the peripheral device, and

a setting for setting the selected bus width for the peripheral device.

10. (currently amended) A system comprising an electronic device, a peripheral device which can be connected to the electronic device and in which at least one bus width is arranged to be used from a defined set of bus widths, and which system comprises a bus width detector for detecting at least one bus width available ~~in~~ in a selected mode of the peripheral device connected to the electronic device, wherein

the peripheral device is provided with one or more indirect indicators, which one or more indirect indicators is itself or are themselves only indirectly indicative of which one or ones from said set of bus widths are available ~~in~~ for operating the peripheral device in said selected mode.

11. (currently amended) An electronic device comprising a bus width detector for detecting the bus width or widths available in a selected mode of a peripheral device connected to the electronic device, in which peripheral device at least one bus width is arranged to be used from a defined set of bus widths on said selected mode, the detector also comprising a control unit for determining the value of one or more indirect indicators formed in the peripheral device, which one or more indirect indicators is itself or themselves only indirectly indicative of which one or ones of said set of bus widths are available ~~in~~ for operating the peripheral device in said selected mode.

12. (previously presented) The electronic device according to claim 11, wherein reference data is stored in the electronic device about at least one bus width available in the peripheral device and corresponding to said indirect indicator value.

13. (previously presented) The electronic device according to claim 12, wherein said indirect indicator arranged to be used is information stored in the peripheral device and indicating indirectly, which one or ones of said set of bus widths are available in the peripheral device.

14. (previously presented) The electronic device according to claim 13, wherein at least one connection line is formed between the electronic device and the peripheral device, and that said indirect indicator arranged to be used is at least one said connection line.

15. (previously presented) The electronic device according to claim 14, said detector comprising means for examining a value of said connection line.

16. (currently amended) A peripheral device which can be connected to an electronic device comprising a bus width detector for detecting the bus width of the peripheral device connected to the electronic device, and in which peripheral device at least one bus width from a defined set of bus widths is arranged to be used in a selected mode, wherein the peripheral device is provided with one or more indirect indicators which is itself or are themselves only indirectly indicative of which one or ones of said set of bus widths are available in for operating the peripheral device in said selected mode.

17. (previously presented) The peripheral device according to claim 16, wherein information about the maximum clock frequency available in the peripheral device is stored in a memory of the peripheral device.

18. (previously presented) The peripheral device according to claim 16, wherein at least a fast peripheral device and a slow peripheral device have been defined,

wherein information about whether the peripheral device is fast or slow is stored in a memory of the peripheral device.

19. (previously presented) The peripheral device according to claim 16, wherein information about version of the peripheral device is stored in a memory of the peripheral device.

20. (previously presented) The peripheral device according to claim 16, comprising at least one connection line, and a control unit for setting said connection line in a value which indirectly corresponds to the bus widths available in the peripheral device.

21. (currently amended) A memory card ~~which can be connected to an electronic device~~ comprising a bus width detector for detecting ~~the bus~~ a bus width of the memory card connected to the electronic device, and in which memory card at least one bus width from a defined set of bus widths is arranged to be used in a selected mode of the memory card, wherein the memory card is provided with one or more indirect indicators which is itself or are themselves only indirectly indicative of which one or ones of said set of bus widths are available ~~in~~ for operating the memory card in said selected mode.

22. (currently amended) An electronic device comprising a bus width detector for detecting ~~the bus~~ a bus width of a peripheral device connected to the electronic device, in which peripheral device at least one bus width is arranged to be used from

a defined set of bus widths in a selected mode of the peripheral device, the bus width detector ~~also comprising means for determining the~~ is configured to determine a value of one or more indirect indicators formed in the peripheral device, which one or more indirect indicators is itself or themselves only indirectly indicative of which one or ones of said set of bus widths are available ~~in~~ for operating the peripheral device in said selected mode.

23. (previously presented) The electronic device according to claim 22, wherein reference data is stored in the electronic device about at least one bus width available in the peripheral device and corresponding to said indirect indicator value.

24. (currently amended) A peripheral device which can be connected to an electronic device comprising a bus width detector for detecting the bus width of the peripheral device connected to the electronic device, and in which peripheral device at least one bus width from a defined set of bus widths is arranged to be used in a selected mode of the peripheral device, wherein the peripheral device is provided with one or more indirect indicators which is itself or are themselves only indirectly indicative of which one or ones of said set of bus widths are available ~~in~~ for operating the peripheral device in said selected mode.

25. (previously presented) The peripheral device according to claim 16, comprising at least one connection line, and a control unit for setting said connection line in a value which indirectly corresponds to the bus widths available in the peripheral device.